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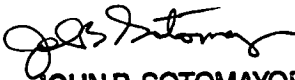
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The allowable claims are: 1-24.

- 1) The information disclosure statement filed January 16, 2001.
- 2) The preliminary amendment filed April 6, 2001.


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